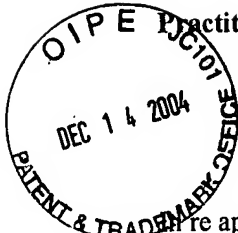


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PETITION TO ACCEPT UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED CLAIM
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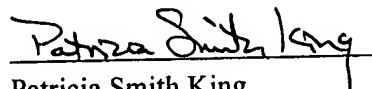
1. The claims as previously submitted are provided below. (37 CFR 1.55 (c)(1)). A domestic and foreign claim of priority were originally made via preliminary amendment in this case on January 13, 2004, as part of Applicant's response to the Notice of Missing Parts. These priority claims were initially accepted by the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office as evidenced by the attached Filing Receipt (dated 02/13/2004). Attached please find a new Preliminary Amendment of the Specification making the same priority claims.

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2. The surcharge as set forth in §1.17(t) is herein provided by check in the amount of \$1,370. (37 CFR 1.55 (c)(2)).
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